

PUBLIC NOTICE

File Number: NRS 14.227

Pursuant to Chapter 0400-4-7 of the Department's rules, the proposed activity described below has been submitted for approval under an Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit and §401 Water Quality Certification. This notice is intended to inform interested parties of this permit application and to ask for comments and information necessary to determine possible impacts to water quality. No decision has been made whether to issue or deny this application.

APPLICANT: Brent Collier, CEO

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Sevierville, TN 37864

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LOCATION: 3576 Parkway-Highway 441, Pigeon Forge, Sevier County: latitude 35.78426101, longitude -83.55288704

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The applicant proposes to construct a commercial building wall for approximately 95 feet along the top of bank on an unnamed tributary to the west Fork of the Little Pigeon River. The proposed wall shall be constructed in the approximate location as an older building wall existed. The wall would be 8-10 feet from the centerline of the unnamed tributary. No work shall occur in the flow.

DEGRADATION: In accordance with the Tennessee Antidegradation Statement (Rule 0400-40-03-.06), the division has determined that the proposed activities will not result in degradation to water quality.

WATERSHED / WATERBODY DESCRIPTION: The proposed project lies within the Pigeon River Watershed. More information can be found at http://www.state.tn.us/environment/water/watersheds/pigeonsriver.shtml

Stream Name / ID #: Unnamed tributary to the West Fork of the Little Pigeon River

Ecoregion: 67g- southern shale valleys

Stream Dimension: Channel bottom width- varies 2-6 feet

Chanel top width – approximately 20 feet

Bank height – varies

Substrate: silt, gravel, rock
Designated Use Use Support
Fish and aquatic life not assessed
Recreation not assessed
Irrigation not assessed

PERMIT COORDINATOR: Mike Lee

FACTORS CONSIDERED: In deciding whether to issue or deny a permit, the department will consider all comments of record and the requirements of applicable federal and state laws. In making this decision, a determination will be made regarding the lost value of the resource compared to the value of any proposed mitigation. The department shall consider practicable alternatives to the alteration. The department shall also consider loss of waters or habitat, diminishment in biological diversity, cumulative or secondary impacts to the water resource, and adverse impact to unique, high quality, or impaired waters.

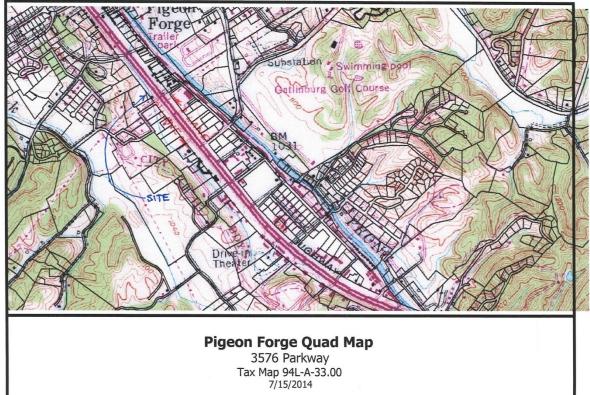
COMMENTING: Persons wishing to comment on the proposal are invited to submit written comments to the department. Written comments must be received within **thirty days of the date that this notice is posted**. Comments will become part of the record and will be considered in the final decision. The applicant's name and permit number should be referenced. Send all written comments to the department's address listed below and to the attention of the permit coordinator.

PUBLIC HEARING: Interested persons may request in writing that the department hold a public hearing on this application. The request must be filed within the comment period, indicate the interest of the person requesting it, the reasons that the hearing is warranted, and the water quality issues being raised. When there is sufficient public interest in water quality issues, the department will hold a public hearing. Send all public hearing request to the department's address listed below and to the attention of the permit coordinator.

APPEAL: A permit appeal may be filed, pursuant to T.C.A. §§ 69-3-105(i) and Rule 0400-40-05, by the permit applicant or by any aggrieved person who participated in the public comment period announced by this notice. This petition must be filed within THIRTY (30) DAYS after public notice of the issuance of the permit. The petition must specify what provisions are being appealed and the basis for the appeal. It should be addressed to the technical secretary of the Tennessee Board of Water Quality, Oil and Gas at the following address: Tisha Calabrese Benton, Director, Division of Water Resources, William R. Snodgrass Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Ave, 12th floor, Nashville, TN 37243. Any hearing would be in accordance with T.C.A. §§69-3-110 and 4-5-301 et seq.

FILE REVIEW: The permit application, supporting documentation including detailed plans and maps, and related comments are available at the department's address (listed below) for review and/or copying.

Tennessee Department of Environment & Conservation Division of Water Resources, Natural Resources Unit William R. Snodgrass Tennessee Tower 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 11th Floor Nashville, Tennessee 37243



Scale: 1 inch = 1000 feet

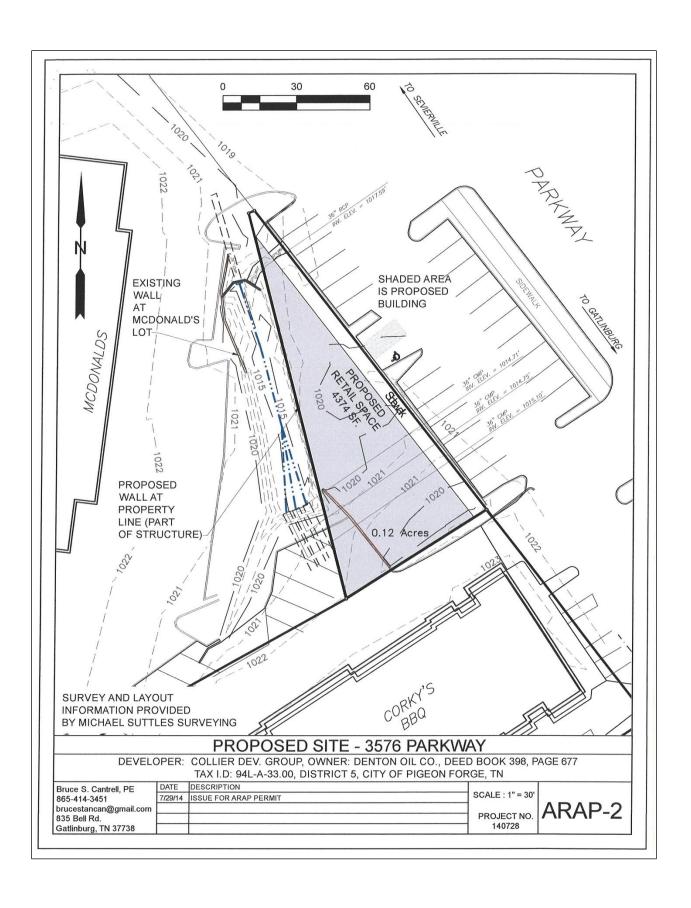




PHOTO #5 - WATERWAY LOOKING SOUTH (UPSTREAM)



PHOTO #6 - WATERWAY LOOKING NORTH (DOWNSTREAM)

PHOTOS - 3576 PARKWAY

DEVELOPER: COLLIER DEV. GROUP, OWNER: DENTON OIL CO., DEED BOOK 398, PAGE 677
TAX I.D: 94L-A-33.00, DISTRICT 5, CITY OF PIGEON FORGE, TN

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Bruce S. Cantrell, PE 865-414-3451 brucestancan@gmail.com 835 Bell Rd. Gatlinburg, TN 37738	DATE	DESCRIPTION	SCALE : 1" = 30' PROJECT NO. 140728	
	7/29/14	ISSUE FOR ARAP PERMIT		ADAD 5



Picture Location 2 (See ARAP 1.01)

REMNANT SECTION OF OLD BLOCK WALL - PART OF OLD SERVICE STATION IN 1960'S.